Mountain Weather Forecast

North Grampian

Including North and West Cairngorms National Park, Monadhliath, Ben Alder, Creag Meagaidh, Loch Ericht and Loch Rannoch
Forecast valid from 06:00 on Friday 04 Nov 2022 until 23:59 on Saturday 05 Nov 2022

Forecast Issued on Friday 04 Nov 2022 at 02:18 by Met Office Aberdeen

Confidence: High, falling low by Monday.

Headline for Friday 04 Nov 2022: A bright day with sunny intervals, and the odd shower, wintry on tops, mainly in the morning. Rather cold and breezy on the summits.

Mountain weather hazards on Friday 04 Nov 2022

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent snow
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Gales
No Likelihood

Severe chill effect
Low Likelihood

Poor visibility
Low Likelihood

Thunderstorms
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
No Likelihood

Strong sunlight
No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Light snow	Cloudy	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Clear night	Clear night
Precipitation probability					
10%	30%	20%	10%	00%	00%

Forecast for Friday 04 Nov 2022

Weather: Mainly dry with clear skies overnight but cold with slight frost possible in the glens with the odd mist patch, soon clearing in the morning. A mainly dry day, with some sunshine at times, but a cloudier spell in the morning perhaps bringing a light shower, wintry on the summits, to western ranges. A dry evening with some clear spells.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: Generally 80-90% but falling 60% for a time in the morning.

Low cloud and visibility: Cloud mostly broken to well broken at 1200m or higher with good visibility, but occasional cloud to 900m and patches to 750m for a few hours in the morning.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1300	33/44 W	29/38 W	28/37 NW	25/33 NW	24/32 W	21/28 W	18/24 W
900	29/34 SW	25/31 SW	22/29 W	19/25 W	17/23 W	15/20 W	13/18 SW
600	14/18 SW	17/24 SW	16/22 W	13/19 W	12/17 W	11/17 W	10/14 SW
300	4/13 SW	7/20 SW	8/17 W	8/17 W	6/15 W	6/14 SW	5/13 SW
Glen	4/22 SW	4/18 SW	6/19 W	5/19 W	4/16 W	4/15 SW	4/12 SW

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1300	-2/-11	-2/-10	-1/-9	-1/-8	-2/-9	-2/-8	-2/-9
900	1/-6	2/-5	2/-4	2/-3	2/-4	2/-4	1/-4
600	3/-2	3/-2	5/0	5/1	4/0	4/0	3/-0
300	1/-1	4/2	7/5	7/5	5/3	4/2	3/1
Glen	2/-0	5/3	9/7	8/6	6/4	4/3	4/2
Freezing Level*	900m	1100m	1100m	1100m	1200m	1100m	1000m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View
Note the low feels like temperature.

Forecast for Saturday 05 Nov 2022
Weather: A mainly dry night with clear spells.Turning cloudy with outbreaks of rain spreading from the southwest soon after dawn, preceded by sleet or wet snow above 1200m. The odd heavier outbreak before turning light and patchy by mid afternoon then turning much clearer towards evening.

Maximum wind: Southeasterly 40 gusts 55mph veering southwest later in the afternoon.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 70% early hours falling 10% in morning then rising 75% from late afternoon.

Low cloud and visibility: Extensive low cloud at 600-900m with patches to 500m over southeastern aspects and poor visibility in rain, becoming well broken and lifting to 900m from late afternoon.

Temperature: **Glens:** Zero Celsius at midnight rising to Plus 7 Celsius in the morning, Plus 9 in the afternoon, falling plus 5 in the evening.
At 800m: Plus 4 rising to plus 7 Celsius
Freezing level: 1200m in early hours rising above the summits.

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